

Bellevue Police Department

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Re: Public Records Request

Below is information responsive to your request for public records. Pursuant to the Public Records Act RCW 42.56, responsive records may be redacted or exempt. Please review the accompanying privilege log for further information, if such redactions or exemptions have been applied.

No redactions or exemptions.

Previously, we responded to bullet points one and two of your original request. Below, I am responding to bullet numbers three, four, five, six, and seven. Please note that your request is now considered closed and fulfilled.

- The number of kits collected and booked into evidence from the period of January 1,
 2000 through the date this request is processed = 147 total
- The number of kits that have been processed by a public or private crime or forensic laboratory or equivalent processing location from the period of January 1, 2000 through the date this request is processed = 75 total
- The number of unprocessed kits in any storage facilities currently under the department's jurisdiction and control, including those held by medical personnel or at external laboratory locations = 72 total
- Any materials regarding the status or ultimate disposition of cases in which a kit was collected. Please include all available segregable data = Pending: 17 kits; Closed: 81; Guilty: 18; Inactive: 13; Declined: 10; Unfounded: 7; Dismissed: 1
- All audits involving this agency regarding the collection or backlog of SAEC kits = Bellevue Police Department has nothing memorialized regarding audits of the collection or backlog of SAEC kits

Per the State Public Records Act (RCW 42.56.120) and City Public Records Act Rules (Section 6), a public records request may be considered abandoned and subsequently closed if a requestor fails to fulfill their obligation to claim an installment of records; claim the entire production of records; inspect the records; or fails to pay the deposit or final payment for requested records within 30 days of this notification.

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If you believe the information furnished has been incorrectly redacted or is incomplete, you may file a written appeal. The appeal must include your name and address, a copy of the redacted document and a copy of this letter together with a brief statement identifying the basis of the appeal. Please mail your appeal to:

Bellevue Police Department Attn: Records Supervisor P.O. Box 90012 Bellevue, WA 98009-9012

Thank you, Brionna Jordan Bellevue Police Department Records Section

RPC 4.4 Inadvertent Disclosure Notification: CR 26 (b) (6) Claw Back Provision

*** Please read this notice carefully **

Dear legal practitioner: Please take notice that we take reasonable precautions to prevent the disclosure of privileged or confidential materials, including those protected by the attorney-client privilege and/or work product doctrine, when responding to request for records. These precautions include, but are not limited to, carefully locating and assembling responsive records, performing an intra-departmental review of the records for purposes of determining whether they contain any privileged or confidential materials, forwarding the records to the County Prosecuting Attorney's Office for independent legal review, meeting and conferring with the Prosecuting Attorney's Office to compare and reconcile any conflicting results of our separate independent reviews and, if necessary, creating a withholding log. Despite our having taken these precautions, occasionally a mistake is made and privileged or confidential documents are inadvertently produced. To that end, we wanted to notify you that there is a possibility that the records being produced may contain privileged or confidential materials. The inadvertent or unintentional production of privileged or confidential documents, without a privileged or confidentiality designation should not be considered a waiver in whole or in part of any claim of privileged or confidential treatment, and any document that initially is produced without bearing a privileged or confidentiality designation may later be so designated. In the event that you believe you have received privileged or confidential materials, we would ask that you promptly notify us of this fact and take action as necessary to comply with the obligations set forth in Rule of Professional Conduct 4.4 and/or Civil Rule 26 (b)(6).